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A New Jersey Family.

Its Beginning and a Branchlet.

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I. THOMAS LEEDS, Sr., the founder of the N. J. family, m. 1st —— —— m. 2nd Margaret Collier.

Children of Thomas Leeds.

II. William Leeds, m. Dorathea —— 5 children.
DANIEL LEEDS, m. 1st ——; 2nd Ann Stacy; 3rd Dorothy Young; 4th Jean Smout, 9 children.
Thomas Leeds, Jr., m. Ann ——. No issue.

III. 2 JAPHETH LEEDS m. DEBORAH ——

Children of Daniel Leeds 1st.

1 Ann Leeds died an infant.
3 Mary Leeds m. John Stockton.
4 Felix Leede m. Hannah Hewlings.
5 Philo Leeds m. Abigail Dennis.
6 Bethanah Leeds m. Mary ——
7 Ann Leeds m. Reveli Elton.
8 Daniel Leeds, 2nd, marriage uncertain.
9 Titan Leeds m. Mary Newbold.

IV. Robert Leeds m. Abigal Higbee, dau. of John and Alice Higbee.

Children of Japheth Leeds' 1st.

JOHN LEEDS m. 1st REBECCA CORDERY; m. 2nd SARAH MATHIS, daughter of John and Alice (Higbee) Mathis.
Japheth Leeds, 2nd m. Rebecca Woodward.
Nehemiah Leeds m. Elizabeth Wood (probably m. 2nd Sarah Johnson).
James Leeds.
Daniel Leede 3rd, m. 1st Susannah Steelman; m. 2nd Rebecca Steelman.
Mary Leeds m. Samuel Somers; son of John Somers 1st
Sarah Leeds (probably m. Thomas Wilkins). —— This marriage really occurred — see last page. Thos. Wilkins a widower with children
Deborah Leeds m. Hugh Neale.
Dorothy Leeds m. Jonathan Husted.
Ann Leeds (may have been the wife of Robert Smith who 2ndly married Rebecca, widow of Danie Leeds 3rd).
Hannah Leeds m. Peter Steelman 2nd son of Andrew Steelman 1st.

V. William Leede m. Mary Osborn, dau'r of Richard Osborn.

Children of John Leeds—four by each of his two wives.

John Leeds m. Elizabeth Giffen.
James Leeds.
Mary Leeds (perhaps m. John Little the 3rd, son of John 2nd, gr'd son of John 1st).
Daniel Leeds, 4th m. Mary Steelman dau'r of Frederick Steelman.
Jeremiah Leeds m. 1st Judith Steelman; m. 2nd Millicent Steelman.
Dorothy Leede m. Robert Smith, son of Noah and Judith Smith. Curr, Widow
VINCENT LEEDS m. CATHARINE SMITH, dau'r of Noah and Judith Smith.

I. **THOMAS LEEDS** first appears to view in the company of his three sons and their wives in 1676. Warrants for land were that year obtained by the four from the East Jersey proprietors, Thomas, Sr., and wife getting 240 acres and each of the three sons 120 acres.

Were it not for these warrants we would probably never have known that the wife of the elder Thomas and the mother of his three sons came with him to this country; that Daniel had a wife before settling at Burlington; that William's wife's pro-name was Dorothea; and that there was a son Thomas, a married man.

A query comes into mind right here : whence these eight people—were they direct from England by way of New York, or had they been living awhile on Long Island, or somewhere in the province of Connecticut ? A number of the early settlers at Shrewsbury, where the Leedses came to a halt, were from both these localities. entering the East Jersey province in answer to a call from its proprietors.

Again, did they come to America as Friends, or did they unite themselves with that Society after their settlement in East Jersey? Thomas, Sr., died a Friend, but all the rest, with their children, apparently, quit the Society before the century was out, or within two or three years after its ending. The eldest son and heir of Daniel, Japheth Leeds, presently returned, however, but was, probably, the only one to do so.

Before two years had passed away the wife that Thomas, Sr., brought with him died. His second wife, Margaret Collier, was "of Marcus Hook, upon ye river Delaware," as the meeting record tells us, and his union with her occurred at Burlington "ye 6th day of ye 8th mo, 1678."

This is the first marriage recorded in the books of "God's people" at Burlington, and is signed by the witnesses only, the names of the united pair appearing above in the body of the document. One of the witnesses of the marriage was Robert Stacy, whose daughter Ann three years later married Thomas' son Daniel.

Thomas Leeds died in 1687, his will having been written 9th month 13th of the previous year, and he was buried, doubtless, near his first wife in the yard adjoining the old shingle-sided meeting at Shrewsbury. His widow seems to have removed to Philadelphia, for her will is there recorded, its date being 9 mo. 18, 1703.

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II. **THOMAS LEEDS, Jr.,** thought to be the youngest of the three sons, must have died before his father, as there is no mention of him in the will of the latter. If he had children, they with their mother have disappeared from view.

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II. **WILLIAM LEEDS,** the eldest, as we may guess him to have been, his name following his father's in the list of land warrants issued, was first designated a cooper, afterward a planter, in deeds made by him and recorded at Freehold, N. J. He lived at Middletown in Monmouth county, at least until after the death of his wife.

In 1705 William purchased 200 acres of land of his brother Daniel "on the sea coast near Absecom creek." In 1708 he bought more land, the seller of this being John Budd, a Philadelphia brewer; and between the two purchases, or in 1706, his 3rd son Jonathan became the owner of 200 acres "on the sea coast, near lands of Peter Conover and Sarah Budd."

It is not known whether this 3rd son of William was a single or a married man, but it is likely that the father lived with him until his—the son's—death about 1718, in which year William, Sr., "late at or near Egg Harbor," sells to Peter White, of the same place, (this P. W. was the guardian of Judith Letart, afterwards Somers), "230 acres, formerly supposed to be in Burlington county, but now considered to be in Gloucester." This property had been purchased of John Budd, May 15, 1708, as previously stated, *and adjoined land of John Scull and the bay.* It could not have been far from Leedsville, a cluster of houses now inappropriately called Linville, in fact, I think, must have adjoined it on its Absecom side.

William, Sr., at this date had moved to Springfield, in upper Burlington county, where his death occurred, perhaps, a little before, or after, that of his brother Daniel.

William Leeds, Sr.'s, wife Dorothea must have been buried in Episcopal ground at Middletown, as her son William, who died in 1735, makes this request: "that my body be buried by the body of my mother without any vain pomp, or show, according to the rites and ceremonies of the Church of England."

The little obelisk in front of the church at Middletown is not known to rest upon the grave of William, Jr., and is of rather recent erection. This second William, who was childless, left all of his real estate—400 acres—in, or adjoining, the village of Leedsville. Monmouth Co., N. J., to the Episcopal Churches of Middletown and Shrewsbury, and this property, known as the Church Glebe, is still devoted to the use, or uses, for which it was given. B. F. L.

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II. **DANIEL LEEDS**, brother of Thomas, Jr., and William, Sr., and of whom we know most, transferred his residence from Monmouth county to Burlington county about 1677, he then being 25 years of age. He may have buried his first wife before this change was made, but soon married again, 2 mo. 21, 1681, Ann Stacy, daughter of Robert Stacy, a tanner of Burlington, and niece of Mahlon Stacy, who settled at the Falls of the Delaware, where Trenton now stands. After giving birth to a daughter, "ye 3rd day of ye 12th month in ye year 1681," this 2nd wife died. A nice farm, adjoining his own, shortly came to Daniel from his father-in-law, to be held for little Ann, but she too quickly passed away, though the exact date of her death is not known.

The third wife of Daniel, to whom he was married a year after the death of Ann Stacy, the first or second month of 1683, was Dorothy Young, daughter of Robert Young of Burlington. Dorothy was of stronger build than the preceding companions of Daniel and became the mother of eight children, one of which she kindly named for the two Anns, deceased.

The fourth wife of Daniel was a widow whose first husband was Samuel Abbott, and the second Edward Smout, the latter dying in 1711. Jane (Abbott-Smout) Leeds was the daughter of Anthony Elton and Elizabeth Revell, her name appearing with that of a son, John Smout, in Daniel's will made June 27, 1720. Daniel's death soon followed the making of this will and we are told that he was buried near the wall of the little, old, brick, St. Mary's church, at Burlington, over the door of which is to be seen and read that Quaker text, "One Lord, One Faith, One Baptism."

Daniel held several important offices in the West Jersey province; called himself a "Student of Agriculture;" is mentioned as an astrologer by Franklin in his Poor Richard Almanac for 1735 and by Allibone is named as the first author in the provinces south of New York. He is known as the writer of a single volume called the Book of Wisdom, only one copy of which is known to exist; and began the compilation of almanacs in 1687, continuing to issue them for 27 years. As Surveyor-General of West Jersey, he had for awhile the assistance of his son, Bethanah, and as almanac maker he was followed by his sons, Felix and Titan, the latter being driven from the field eventually by the success of the well-known production of Benjamin Franklin.

The farm of **Daniel Leeds**, 1st, was about half a mile west of the present village of Jackson, in the township of Springfield, Burlington county, his house being on the north side of the passing road, a turnpike leading to Burlington city.

The site of the house is still to be identified by a depression where the land abruptly descends northwardly. Its stone cellar walls were sold, about the year 1864, to Dr. Charles Ridgway, who used them for the foundation of a barn built on the site of one sometime previously destroyed by fire. In 1816 Isaac Hilyard, of Pemberton, brother of Keziah Woolston, of Vincentown, visited this old Leeds house, then standing. It was at that time occupied by an Irish tramp named William Little, who lived alone

Isaac noticed the fire-places as being very large though the house itself was not of much size. It was a two-storied structure.

The brick and frame Fenimore House, very old, on high ground just south of the pike and 400 or 500 feet southeast of the above described place is also said to have had one of the early Leedses as an occupant. This, or part of it might have been the Titan Leeds house, his father having given him Dec. 31, 1719, "the easterly part" of his own plantation, containing 200 acres, *with house* and improvements thereon.

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Daniel Leeds' children by his third wife, Dorothy Young, were:

III. 1 **JAPHETH LEEDS**, born Oct. 24, 1683. He married **Deborah** ——. Their residence at Leeds Point, N. J.

2 **MARY LEEDS**, born April 19, 1685; married **John Stockton**, son of the first Richard Stockton and his wife, Abigail John Stockton was given 400 of the 1640 acres comprising his father's plantation called Oneaniken, and from his father-in-law, Daniel Leeds, he obtained an additional 468½ acres. He at first lived on the 400 acre place, afterward near Jobstown. His children were **Daniel and Rebecca.**

3 **FELIX LEEDS**, born July 27, 1687; died 1744. He married **Hannah Hewlings**, daughter of William Hewlings and Dorothy Eves. His farm, popularly called the Hog Ponds, a rich place, doubtless, and which came to him from his wife, was between Marlton and Medford, in Burlington Co., New Jersey. Another farm of 500 acres, which also came from his wife, lies to the north, or northeast, of Marlton. A part of this latter in the year 1877, still continued in the possession of a de-cendant, Richard Leeds, son of William, of Medford. Felix also received land from his father. Felix's children were **Isaac, Abraham, Titan, Sarah, Mary and Rebecca**

4 **PHILO LEEDS**, 1st, date of birth not recorded; married **Abigail Dennis**, daughter of Samuel Dennis and Increase Lippin-

cott. According to Franklin Earl, Philo Leeds lived near Pemberton. He is mentioned in a deed made by his father in the year 1719 as a resident of Northampton township, Burlington County, the property transferred (300 acres) being in Springfield township, of the same county, and the cost of it to Philo, "2000 long cedar shingles with good will and affection."

Philo had three daughters, **Jemima, Anne and Mary,** and two sons, **Vincent and Philo 2nd.**

5 **BETHANAH LEEDS,** born March 24, 1692; married **Mary** ———. Bethanah lived awhile in the fork of the Rancocas creek on a farm given him by his father, and is said (in a deed) to have also lived in Northampton Co., Virginia. He seems to have died at 30 or 35 years of age, leaving a widow and three children (**Elizabeth, Ann and Lacareca**) the widow marrying later Richard Yeo.

6 **ANN LEEDS,** born Feb. 17, 1694-5; buried July 4, 1769. Married **Revell Elton,** born Dec. 6, 1689, son of Anthony Elton and Elizabeth Revell.

Revell Elton's name occurs in a marriage certificate of the year 1740 as a justice of the peace.

His children were **Revell, Robert, Elizabeth. Mary, Hannah and Thomas.**

7 **DANIEL LEEDS,** 2nd, born June 5, 1697. Of Daniel we have no positive knowledge. The late Franklin Earl, surveyor of Pemberton, N. J., seems to have heard that he married and that his children were daughters only.

8 **TITAN LEEDS,** born Aug. 25, 1699, married **Mary Newbold,** daughter of Joshua and Hannah Newbold.

If Titan left descendants they have not yet been discovered.

In letters of guardianship given Sept. 7, 1724, over Mary Peeps, daughter of Henry and Mary, he is styled a yeoman His neighbor Eleazar Fenton, who made his will March 28th, 1728, calls him in it his "well beloved friend" and names him as executor. He continued until 1735 or 1736 to edit the Almanac published by Bradford and doubtless remained during life on the farm in Springfield given him by his father.

Sometime between the years 1725 and 1730 Titan is said to have been Sheriff of the County of Burlington.

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III. **JAPHETH LEEDS,** 1st, born perhaps in Springfield township, County of Burlington and State of New Jersey, 10 mo., 24, 1683, was baptised an Episcopalian when about 21 years of age, his

father having left the Society of Friends several years before. The compiler had heretofore supposed that Japheth, just before marrying, had re-entered the Society, but this is an uncertainty, his daughter and first child, Mary, having been born, apparently, the year that he was baptised. His wife, **Deborah's**, surname not yet discovered nor, with two exceptions, the birth-dates of his twelve children. Further, the date of Japheth's settlement at "the shore" can only be guessed at. It may have been 1710 or several years earlier. In 1710 he purchased of his uncle, Felix Leeds, Further Island that in 1707 his father had sold to this uncle. From his father he received Leeds Point containing from 800 to 1000 acres.

Japheth's house, not now existing, stood well out on the Point near where the present Townsend House stands, or perhaps on the same site. This was an old fashioned hip-roofed structure, known as the homestead, and was successively occupied later by Japheth, the 2nd, by his son Samuel, and by the latter's youngest son Barzillai. "Barzillai Leeds tore down this old house, it is said, and built another on the same foundation. This is the house now occupied by the Townsends."

Leeds Point is a promontory with Great Bay upon one side and Little Bay on the other and is said to be the highest coastside land between the Highlands of New Jersey and the Capes of Virginia. Upon the very top of this noticeable elevation is to be seen a diminutive and ancient graveyard, in which, it is supposed, rest the bodies of Japheth and his wife as well as some of his children and later descendants. B. F. L.

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Japheth Leeds' children occur in his will, made 2 mo., 5, 1736, in the following order:

IV. **Robert**, born probably about 1706;
✓**John**, born probably about 1708;
Japheth, 2nd, born 3 mo., 18, 1710; died 4 mo., 12, 1781;
Nehemiah,
James,
Daniel,
Mary, born prob'ly about 1704;
Sarah,
Deborah,
Dorothy,
Ann,
Hannah, born 2 mo., 18, 1726; died 11 mo., 24, 1762.

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IV. **JOHN LEEDS**, second son of Japheth, the 1st, and Dorothy Leeds, born about 1708, married 6 mo., 17, 1737, **Rebecca Cordery**, by whom he had four children. He married a second time in 1751, **Sarah Mathis**, daughter of John and Alice Mathis, by whom he had children also to the number of four. John Leeds was a farmer of the township of Galloway, which was then in Gloucester County, the farm that he occupied being probably the one willed him by his father and that had once belonged to his uncle, Felix Leeds John was a minister in the Society of Friends.

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His children by his first wife were:

V. 1 **WILLIAM LEEDS**, born 5 mo. 24, 1738, and who died 2 mo., 1828, married, 1768, **Mary**, daughter of Richard Osborn Jr., Mary Osborn born 1743; died 12 mo., 17, 1797.

2 **JOHN LEEDS**, born 11 mo., 1740, perhaps married 5 mo., 12, 1760, **Elizabeth Giffin**, of Gloucester, Co., N. J. John is said to have been lost at sea but was living in 1784, when his father's will was made.

3 **JAMES LEEDS**, born 5 month, 1742, perhaps died young as nothing further is known of him.

4 **MARY LEEDS**, born 2 mo., 1746. Either this Mary or her uncle Robert Leeds' daughter Mary, married 4 mo., 16, 1768, **John Little**, 3d, of Monmouth Co., son of John Little, 2nd, and grandson of John Little 1st.

John Little 3rd was a lieutenant in the patriot Army of the Revolution and was killed in 1777. Mary (Leeds) Little afterward married Guisbert Lane, of Albany, and had issue with him as well as with her first husband.

John Leeds' children by his second wife were:

V. 5 **DANIEL LEEDS**, born 7 mo., 25, 1752, married "out of meeting" 1 mo., 3, 1775, **Mary**, daughter of Frederick Steelman 1st.

6 **JEREMIAH LEEDS**, born 3 mo., 4, 1754, married, 12 mo. 8, 1776, **Judith**, daughter of Frederick Steelman 1st.

He married a second time **Millicent**, daughter of Isaac and Hannah Steelman. Jeremiah owned part of Absecom Beach upon which the famous sea-side resort has since been built. His residence, probably, upon the beach where most of his children and some of his later decendants have dwelt.

7 **VINCENT LEEDS**, born 7 mo., 30, 1756, married **Catharine Carr** a widow, and daughter of Noah and Judith Smith.

Vincent Leeds was a farmer and lived near the extreme

end of Leeds' Point, the site of his house being opposite that occupied by Daniel Shourds in 1878.

Daniel Shourds was a son of Rebecca (Leeds Shourds and grandson of William Leeds, Vincent's half brother. William Leeds probably had his home near by, as he was the owner of land between the Vincent Leeds house and the site of the first house erected on the Point, the home of the original settler, Japheth Leeds 1st.

8 **DOROTHY LEEDS,** born 7 mo., 30, 1756, was, as will be seen, a twin sister of Vincent. She died in 1823, her marriage to **Robert Smith** occurring about 1772

Robert Smith was a brother of Vincent's wife, another brother being Samuel Smith who married Elizabeth Bassett, daughter of Daniel Bassett 3rd, of Salem Co., N. J. Robert Smith and wife were Salem Co. residents where a number of their descendants are still to be found.

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V. **VINCENT LEEDS,** son of John and Sarah (Mathis) Leeds, born at Egg Harbor, N. J., 7 mo., 30, 1756, died at Richmond, Indiana, 12 mo., 28, 1841. He married **Catharine Carr,** born 11 mo., 13, 1754, died 7 mo., 13, 1825; widow of Job Carr and daughter of Noah and Judith Smith

Job Carr, born 7 mo., 15, 1750, is said to have been killed on the Ridgway farm (Little Egg Harbor) by the British during the Revolutionary War. He was the son of Caleb and Sarah (Ridgway) Carr and had with Catharine Smith two children, Millicent, born 11, 28, 1782 and Job. Millicent Carr, married ——— Stanley, their daughter, Catharine Stanley, marrying a Benjamin Longstaff, with issue, a son, Laban.

Job Carr, Jr., perhaps married at Great Egg Harbor, Ruth ——— and had a son Job, born 7 mo., 2, 1813

Vincent and Catharine Leeds' children were:

VI. 1 **NOAH LEEDS,** born at Leeds' Point, Great Egg Harbor, N. J. 8 mo., 17, 1788.

2 **WARNER MIFFLIN LEEDS,** born at Leeds Point, N. J., 2 mo., 22, 1791; died at Richmond, Indiana, 8 mo., 3, 1850.

3 **CATHARINE LEEDS,** born at Leeds Point, N. J., 10 mo., 12, 1795; died at Mansfield, Ohio, 9 mo., 22, 1861.

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VI. **NOAH LEEDS,** son of Vincent and Catharine (Smith-Carr) Leeds, born at Leeds Point, N. J., 8 mo., 17, 1788; married 4 mo., 7, 1811, at Darby, Pa., **Ann L. Craig**

who was born 1 mo., 30, 1792, and died of cholera at Salem, N. J., between the years 1845 and 1850.

Noah Leeds a noted school teacher of Salem county, N J. perhaps previously at Darby and at Richmond, Indiana, he having removed to the latter place in the year 1827.

Ann Leeds was the daughter of William and Letitia (Noblit) Craig, who were married 8 mo. 3, 1773. Letitia Noblit, who was born 12 mo., 12, 1753, and died 5 mo., 11, 1828, was thrice married, William Craig being her first husband; W. Murphy, who died 8 mo., 5, 1803 her second, and David Ware her third.

Noah and Ann L. (Craig) Leeds' children were:

VII. 1 **LETITIA LEEDS,** born at or near Darby, Pa., 3 mo., 26, 1812, died at Richmond, Indiana unmarried, 7 mo., 25, 1833.

2 **Vincent Augustus Leeds,** born at or near Darby Pa., 3 mo., 23, 1813; died at Richmond, Indiana, unmarried, 9 mo., 24, 1835.

3 **Ann Craig Leeds,** born at or near Darby, Pa., 1 mo., 23, 1817; married **Edward Singley**, M. D., 1 mo., 31, 1811; and died at West Grove, Chester Co., Pa., 9 mo, 11, 1887.

4 **William Leeds**, born at Springboro, Warren Co., Ohio, 10 mo., 11, 1828. He died unmarried.

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VII. 3 **ANN CRAIG LEEDS,** daughter of Noah and Ann L. (Craig) Leeds, born at or near Darby, Pa., 1 mo., 23, 1817; married 10 mo., 31, 1838, **Dr. Edward Singley** who was born at Byberry, Philadelphia Co., Pa., 1 mo., 31, 1811. Dr. Singley resides at West Grove, Chester Co., Pa., where his wife died 9 mo., 11, 1887.

Their children:

VIII. 1 **JESSE IDEN SINGLEY**, born Richmond, Ind., 8 mo., 11, 1839; died young.

2 **Mary Singley,** born Richmond, Ind., 8 mo., 29, 1841; is living with her father at West Grove, Pa.

3 **William Singley**, born Salem, N. J., 3, mo., 26, 1846;

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married 3 mo., 14, 1875, **Fannie Bowman.**

4 **Maurice Singley,** born Salem, N. J., 4 mo., 14, 1851, married 1873, **Williamanna Grove.**

5 **Samuel Leeds Singley,** born Salem, N. J., 7 mo., 18, 1856, married 12 mo., 15, 1890, **Minnie White.** S. L. Singley died at Ocean City, N. J., 1893.

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VIII. 3 **WILLIAM SINGLEY,** son of Ann Craig (Leeds) and Dr. Edward Singley, born at Salem, N. J., 3 mo., 26, 1846; married 3 mo., 14, 1875, **Fannie Bowman,** who was born at Byberry, Philadelphia Co., Pa., 2 mo., 26, 1846, and was the daughter of John and Ann (Comly) Bowman.

William Singley, a dentist at London Grove, Pa.

Children:

IX. 1 **Elma Singley,** deceased;
2 **Caroline French Singley,**
3 **Ellingwood Singley,**
4 **Vincent Singley,**
5 **Mabel Singley,**
6 **Helen Singley,** deceased.

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VIII. 4 **MAURICE SINGLEY,** son of Ann Craig (Leeds) and Dr. Edward Singley, born Salem, N. J , 4, 14, 1851; married, 1873, **Williamanna Grove,** daughter and only child of Willam and Martha Grove.

Children:

IX. 1 **Edward Singley,**
2 **Martha Singley,**
3 **Annie Singley.**

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VI. 2 **WARNER MIFFLIN LEEDS,** son of Vincent and Catharine (Smith-Carr) Leeds, born at Leeds Point, N. J., 2 mo., 22, 1791; died at Richmond, Ind., 8 mo., 3, 1850. He married 1819, at Springboro, Warren Co., Ohio, **Elizabeth Bateman,** born 9 mo., 5, 1789, died 2 mo., 25, 1857.

Children:

VII. 1 **Ann Leeds,** born 6 mo., 17, 1820; married 10 mo., 13, 1841, **Judge William A. Bickle.**

2 **William Bateman Leeds**, born 12 mo., 29, 1822; died 7 mo., 7, 1894. He married first **Mary Laws**, no issue, and secondly in 1877 **Anne Stuart** of New York City.

3 **Noah Smith Leeds,** born 3 mo., 28, 1825; married **Han-H. Starr.**

4 **Catharine Leeds**, born 6 mo., 15, 1827; died 10 mo., 10, 1869. She married 8 mo., 1855, **Dr. James Farquhar Hibberd.**

5 **Elizabeth Leeds**, born 5 mo., 5 1830; died 1856; married 6 mo., 1851, **Dr. James Wylie.**

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VII. 1 **ANNA LEEDS**, daughter of Warner M. and Elizabeth (Bateman) Leeds, born 6 mo., 17, 1820; married 10 mo., 13, 1841, **Judge William A. Bickle**, a native of Virginia.

Child:

VIII. 1 **Mary Bickle,** born at Richmond, Ind., 8 mo., 6, 1842; died 3 mo., 17, 1860.

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VII. 2 **WILLIAM BATEMAN LEEDS,** son of Warner M. and Elizabeth (Bateman) Leeds, born at Richmond, Ind., 12 mo., 29, 1822; died at Lakewood, N. J., 7 mo., 7, 1894. He married first **Mary Laws**, no issue; a second time in 1877, **Annie Stuart**, daughter of James Stuart and Elizabeth Whitewright, of New York City. Issue, 3 children.

William B. Leeds, a lawyer of New York, City, His widow, a resident of Lakewood, N. J.

Children:

VIII. 1 **Elizabeth Whitewright Leeds**, born Oct. 14, 1879.

2 **Margaret Stuart Leeds,** born May 8, 1883; died Jan. 9, 1887.

3 **William Stuart Whitewright Leeds**, born June 14, 1889.

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VII. 3 **NOAH SMITH LEEDS**, son of Warner M. and Elizabeth (Bateman) Leeds, born at Richmond, Ind., 3 mo., 28, 1825. Noah Smith Leeds, a merchant of Richmond, where he died. He married **Hannah A. Starr**, born 8 mo., 10, 1829, daughter of Chas. Starr. Hannah A. Leeds living—her residence Richmond, Ind.

Children:

VIII. 1 **Charles Starr Leeds**, born 2 mo., 24, 1859; a graduate of Cornell University; married **Annie Budington**, 11 mo., 24, 1885.

They have one child:

IX. *Stanton Budington Leeds*, born Minneapolis, Minn., 9 mo., 19, 1886.

2 **William Bateman Leeds**, born 9 mo., 10, 1861; married 10 mo. 16, 1883, **Jeannette Gaar**. Their residence Richmond, Indiana.

One child:

IX. *Rudolph Gaar Leeds*, born Richmond, Ind., 3 mo., 15, 1886.

3 **Warner Mifflin Leeds**, born 12 mo., 29, 1868; unmarried. Address, Elwood, Ind.

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VII. **CATHARINE LEEDS**, daughter of Warner M. and Elizabeth (Bateman) Leeds, born at Richmond, Ind., 6 mo., 15, 1827, died 10 mo, 15, 1868. She married 5 mo. 6, 1856, at Richmond., **Dr. James Farquhar Hibberd**, who was born near New Market, Ind., 11 mo., 4, 1816; the son of Joseph Hibberd.

Dr. J. A Hibberd had previously married near Dayton, Ohio, 3 mo., 31, 1842, Nancy D Higgins, who died 4 mo., 26, 1846; and after Catharine Leeds' death a third wife, Elizabeth M. Laws, at Richmond Ind., 4 mo,, 20, 1871.

Further particulars regarding Dr. Jas. F. Hibberd will be found on page 514 of Gilbert Cope's "The Sharpless Family."

Children:

[**Elgar Grant Hibberd**—by first wife—born 4 mo., 24, 1844, and who married Elizabeth Jane Morrison.]

VIII. **Wilton Leeds Hibberd**, (by second wife) born 9 mo., 3, 1858, unmarried; his residence 11 N. Eighth St., Richmond, Ind.

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VII. 5 **ELIZABETH LEEDS,** daughter of Warner M. and Elizabeth (Bateman) Leeds, born at Richmond, Ind., 5 mo., 5, 1830; died at Richmond, 1856. She married **Dr. John Wylie,** 6 mo., 1851. Dr. Wylie died at Honolulu, Sandwich Islands, 1855.

Child:

VIII. **IRENE WYLIE,** born 4 mo., 24, 1853: married 10 mo., 1884, **Nathaniel Trask,** of Bayonne, N. J.

They have one child:

IX. *Natalie Trask,* born at Bayonne, N. J. 10 mo., 1884.

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VI. 3 **Catharine Leeds,** daughter of Vincent and Catharine (Smith-Carr) Leeds, born at Leeds Point, Great Egg Harbor, N. J., 10 mo., 12, 1795; died at Mansfield, Ohio, 9 mo., 22, 1861. She married 6 mo., 17, 1817, at Friend's Meeting, Green St., Philadelphia, **William Anthony Bruck.**

W. A. B. born 5 mo., 5, 1785, at Mandel, 12 miles from the River Rhine, 27 from the city of Mentz, Germany, was the son of Anton Bruck and Anna Ottelia Arnold. He was a physician. His death occurred at Mansfield, Ohio, 12 mo., 11, 1855.

The children of Catharine Leeds and William A. Bruck were:

VII. 1 **Elizabeth Bruck,** born 11 mo., 12, 1821; died 9 mo., 8, 1846. She married 10 mo., 30, 1839, **William Frost,** of New York City.

2 **Edwin Augustus Bruck,** born 10 mo., 10, 1823; died 10 mo., 1860. He married 1 mo., 5, 1851, **Elizabeth Jane Phillips.**

3 **William Bruck,** born at New Lisbon, Ohio, 11 mo., 13, 1825; died at Placerville, Cal., 1 mo., 1, 1851, unmarried.

4 **Catharine Ottelia Bruck,** born 11 mo., 19, 1827; died 1860. She married, 1848, **Hugh Lang King.**

5 **Louisa Bruck,** born 10 mo., 8, 1831; married 11 mo., 9, 1852, **Henry Davis.**

6 **David Townsend Bruck.** born 10 mo., 11, 1834; married 8 mo., 1, 1869, **Nancy Butler.**

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VII. 1 **ELIZABETH BRUCK**, daughter of Catharine (Leeds) and William Anthony Bruck, born at Philadelphia, Pa., 11 mo., 12, 1821, died at Mansfield, Ohio, 9 mo., 8, 1846. She married 10 mo., 30, 1839, **William Frost,** of New York City. W. Frost, a merchant, N. Y. After his wife's death he went to California, where he died.

Children:

VIII. 1 **Sarah Appolonia Frost,** born at Mansfield, Ohio, 8 mo., 18, 1841.

2 **Leonard Leeds Frost,** born at Mansfield, Ohio, 1845. Supposed to have been killed in the War of the Rebellion.

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VII. **Edwin Augustus Bruck,** son of Catharine (Leeds) and William A. Bruck, born at Philadelphia, Pa., 10 mo., 10, 1823; died at Mansfield, Ohio, 10 mo., 1860. He married 1 mo., 5, 1851, **Elizabeth Jane Phillips,** who was born at Richwood, Ohio, 7 mo., 3, 1834, the daughter of William Arthur Phillips and Isabella Woods. Edwin A. Bruck, a merchant.

Children:

VIII. 1 **Philathea Bruck,** born 5 mo., 17, 1852; married 5 mo., 8, 1870, **John Frederick Miller.**

2 **Sarah Hastings Bruck,** born 9 mo., 5, 1855; married 9 mo., 7, 1874, **Monroe W. Humeston.**

Elizabeth Jane Phillips) Bruck married a second time, July 20, 1869, William A. Moore, who was born in Holmes Co., Ohio. Aug. 15, 1826, and was the son of Daniel Moore and Jane McCoy.

The children of this marriage were:
Claire Alfred Moore born at Osceola, Iowa, June 27, 1873.
Arthur Griffith Moore, born at Clear Lake, Iowa, Jan. 3, 1875.

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VII. 4 **CATHARINE OTTELIA BRUCK,** daughter of Catharine (Leeds) and William Anthony Bruck, born at New Lisbon, Ohio, 11 mo., 19. 1827; died at Mansfield, Ohio, in 1860. She married in 1848, at Mansfield, **Hugh Laing King,** who

was born at Newark, N. J., in 1819 and died at Mansfield, Ohio, in 1874

Hugh Laing King's parents were Joseph King, (son of Nathan and Sarah) born in Amwell township, N J , 2 mo., 3, 1782, and Catharine Laing (daughter of Thomas and Martha) born at Rahway, N. J , 10 mo., 6, 1787. Joseph King and Catharine Laing were married in Friend's Meeting at Rahway, 1 mo., 1805.

Children:

VIII. 1 **William Joseph King,** born at Mansfield, Ohio, 4 mo., 27, 1851. His present home is at Mansfield

2 **Mildred Leeds King,** born at Mansfield, Ohio, 5 mo., 1853; married 9 mo., 1871, **William Harris,** a lawyer, whose residence is Toledo, Ohio.

Their children are:

Henry Harris, born 9 mo., 1872.

Hugh Harris, born 1 mo., 1878.

3 **Edwin Bruck King,** born at Mansfield, Ohio, 1 mo., 26, 1857; married 6 mo., 15, 1879, **Bertie Sheets.** Residence, Mansfield, Ohio.

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VII. 5 **LOUISA BRUCK,** daughter of Catharine (Leeds) and William Anthony Bruck, born at New Lisbon, Ohio, 10 mo., 8, 1831; was married 11 mo., 9, 1852 to **Henry Davis,** a lawyer, who was born in Fayette Co., Pa., 11 mo., 30, 1822.

Children:

VIII. 1 **Lillie M. Davis,** born at Mansfield, Ohio, 7 mo., 13, 1854; died 5 mo., 15, 1885. She married 6 mo., 28, 1882, **George Brown** and had

Children:

IX. 1 *Louise Brown*, born 10 mo., 27, 1883.

2 *Benjamin Burke Brown*, born 3 mo., 21, 1885.

2 **Harry Leeds Davis,** born 10 mo., 8, 1857, at Mansfield, Ohio. H. L. D., a cashier, unmarried, residence Mansfield.

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VII. 6 **DAVID TOWNSEND BRUCK,** son of Catharine (Leeds) and William Anthony Bruck, born at New Brighton, Pa , 10 mo., 11, 1834; married 8 mo., 1, 1869, **Nancy Butler,**

who was born 9 mo., 10, 1844, at Nashville, Tenn., her parents being W. O. and Johanna Butler. D. T. Bruck is a physician whose residence is at Marionville, Missouri.

Children:

VIII. 1 **Clarence Butler Bruck,** born at Marionville, Mo., 6 mo., 12, 1870.

2 **Johanna Belle Bruck,** born at Marionville, Mo., 8 mo., 22, 1872; married 12 mo., 2, 1891, **Fines Ewing Crumpley.**

Their children:

IX. 1 *Earl Ewing Crumpley*, born at Marionville, 10 mo., 12, 1892.

2 *Dotie Clarence Crumpley*, born at Marionville, 11 mo., 6, 1895.

3 **Edwin Bruck,** born at Marionville, Mo., 12 mo., 12, 1876.

4 **Louisa Frances Bruck,** born at Marionville, Mo., 1 mo., 1, 1879.

5 **May Winnifred Bruck,** born at Marionville, Mo., 4 mo., 28, 1881.

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VIII. 1 **PHILATHEA BRUCK,** daughter of Edwin Augustus and Elizabeth Jane (Phillips) Bruck, born at Richwood, Ohio, 5 mo., 17, 1852; married 5 mo., 8, 1870, at Osceola, Iowa, **John Frederick Miller,** a railroad agent, who was born at Mount Gilead, Ohio, 2 mo., 27, 1847. Present home, West Union, Iowa.

Children:

IX. 1 **Alfred Bruck Miller,** born at Wapello, Iowa, 9 mo., 13, 1871; married **Nellie Myers.**

Child:

X. *Walter Bruck Miller.*

2. **Elizabeth Lucille Miller,** born at West Union, Iowa, 3 mo., 20, 1878.

3 **Phyllis Leeds Miller,** born at West Union, Iowa, 6 mo., 18, 1888.

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VIII. 2 **SARAH HASTINGS BRUCK,** daughter of Edwin Augustus and Elizabeth Jane (Phillips) Bruck was born at

Richwood, Ohio, 9 mo., 5, 1855. She married 9 mo., 7, 1874, at Macon City, Iowa, **Monroe Warden Humeston**, a merchant, who was born at Fowler, Trumbull Co., Ohio, 11 mo., 20, 1850, his parents being Alva Humeston and Mary Northrup.

Children:

IX. 1 **Clara Louise Humeston**, born at Humeston, Iowa, 10 mo., 28, 1876.

2 **Roy Edwin Humeston**, born at Humeston, Iowa, 1 mo., 16, 1879; died 2 mo., 1879.

3 **Ray Leeds Humeston**, born at Humeston, Iowa, 1 mo., 16, 1882.

4 **Harold Bruck Humeston**, born at Humeston, Iowa, 1 mo., 3, 1891.

5 **Vincent Moore Humeston**, born at Rialto, San Bernandino Co., Cal., 9 mo., 23, 1895.

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